Upgradation of Tenzing Norgay Road

3222. SHRI RATNA BAHADUR RAI: Will the Minister of SURFACE TRANSPORT be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the Tenzing Norgay Road, 'from Siliguri to Darjeeling has been upgraded as National Highway; and

(b) if so, when and what steps Government are contemplating to take-up for extension and development of this Highway?

THE MINISTER OF STATE; OF THE5 MINISTRY OF SURFACE TRANSPORT (SHRI JAGDISH TYTLER): (a) and (b) Yes, Sir. Ten-ing Norgay Road from Siliguri to Darjeeling was declared as National Highway No. 55 on 6th November, 1990. There is provision of Rs. 3 crores for improvement of selected stretches on this National Highway in the Annual Plan 1991-92. At present there is no proposal for extension of this National Highway.

Wayside Centred/Motels at National Highways

3223. SHRIMATI PRATIBHA SINGH; SHRI ASHOK NATH VERMA:

Will the Minister of SURFACE TRANSPORT be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government propose to set up passenger-oriented wayside motel, at intervals of 100 kilometres along high traffic density corridors of National Highways where such facilities do not exist; if so, what are the details of the facilities likely to be provided at such centres/Motels;

(b) if so, what are the locations where such facilities exist and further facility to be added on the demand and requirements of passengers;

'(c) whether Government have earmarked any site$_s$ for setting up of such passenger-oriented wayside motels on highways of the country, if so, what are the details thereof, State-wise; and

(d) the facilities/incentives Government propose for establishment of such amenities centres/motels at National Highways, where such centres have not been set up so far?

1 HE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF SURFACE TRANSPORT (SHRI JAGDISH TYTLER): (a) to (c) Yes Sir. The Central Govt. ha$_s$ an ongoing scheme, both in Govt. Sector and Private Sector, for setting up passenger-oriented wayside amenities along National Highways to provide basic facilities like snack bars/ restaurants, drinking water/toilets, petrol outlets, kiosks, rest rooms, and parking places. Under the Govt. Sector, these amenities are to be provided jointly by the Ministry of Surface Transport and the Ministry of Tourism. Under the private sector scheme, setting up and running of these facilities is to be done by the private entrepreneurs.

Broad details of the scheme are given below. So far only one facilitiy on NH 17 in Maharashtra has been completed and opened to traffic under the Scheme.

(i) *Government Sector Scheme*

In the first priority scheme, 17 locations (one each in different States), as shown in Statement I (See below) have been identified. These are, at present, under different stages of development.

(ii) *Private Sector Scheme*

A State-wise list of National High--way corridors for location of these amenities is enclosed at Statement I (See below). So far, 31 Letters of 'Intent have been issued in respect of private sector proposals,, vide list in Statement III (See below).

(d) As an incentive to development of such facilities by the private entrepreneurs, allotment of a petrol/diesel outline is included in the overall package subject to fulfilment of certain norms.

Statement—I

Locations of first priority Central Govt, wayside amenities scheme

Sl. No.	State	Location
1.	Andhra Pradesh	Palamaner on NH. 4
2.	Assam	Km. 338 on NH. 37
3.	Bihar	Barhi on NH .2
4.	Goa	Nagoa on NH. 17.
5.	Gujarat	Vapi on NH. 8
6.	Himachal Pradesh	Nauni on NH. 21
7.	Karnataka	Marvanthe in Km. 270 of NH. 17
8.	Kerala	Km. 287/600 at Kokoshichora on NH. 17.
9.	Madhya Pradesh	Khalghat on NH. 3
10.	Maharashtra	Manor on NH. 8
11.	Manipur	Km. 256·4 to 257 of NH. 39
12.	Orissa	Rameshwar on NH. 5
13.	Rajasthan	Gomati-Ka-Chauraha on NH. 8 (Ajmer-Udaipur Section)
14.	Tamil Nadu	Sattur on NH. 7
15.	Tripura	Kumarghat on NH. 44
16.	Uttar Pradesh	Km. 115 of NH. 2 near Khaga (Kanpur-Allahabad Section)
17.	West Bengal	Near Farakha on NH. 34.

Statements—II

State-wise Potential National Highway Corridors for location of passenger-oriented wayside amenties in private sector.

State	N.H. No.	Route	Approx. No. of points
I. North Zone			
Punjab	1	Ambala-Jalandhar	one
	1A	Jalandhar-Pathankot	one
	15	Amritsar-Bhatinda	one
Jammu & Kashmir	1A	Jammu-Srinagar	one
Himachal Pradesh	21	Chandigarh-Bilaspur-Mandi-Manali	one or two

State	H.N. No.	Route	Approx No- of points
Uttar Pradesh .	2	Agra-Kanpur	one
	2	Kanpur-AUahabad-Varanasi	one
	24	Delhi-Garhmukteshwar-Sitapur-Lucknow	two
	28	Lucknow-Gorakhpur-Pipra	two
	29	Gorakhapur-Varanasi. . .	one
II. South Zone			
Goa . .	17	Sawantwadi-Panaji-Mangalore .	one
Andhra Pradesh .	7	Hyderabad-Nagpur .	one
	7	Hyderbad-Bangalore .	one or two
	9	Hyderbad-Suryapet-Vijayawada .	one
	5	Vijayawada-Vishakhapatnam	one
	5	Vijayawada-Madras .	one
Karnataka . .	4	Belgaum-Bangalore .	two
	13	Hospet-Bijapur	one
	48	Bangalore-Mangalore	one
	17	Panaji-Mangalore ...	one or two
Tamil Nadu .	45	Madras-Dindigul .	one
	7	Bangalore-Madurai .	one
	7	Madurai-Kanyakumari.	one
	46	Krishnagiri-Ranipet .	one
	47	Salem-Coimbatore-Cochin .	on
Kerala .	47	Palghat-Ccchir.-Trivandran	one or two
	17	Mangilcre-Calicut-Ccchin	two
III. East Zone			
Bihar . .	2	Varanasi-Barhi-Asansol	two
	31,30	Barhi-Bakhtiarpur-Patna .	one
	31	Barauni-Purnea-Kishanganj	one
	33	Barhi-Ranchi-Jameshedpur-Bahara-gora ..... one	
	28,28A	Barauni-Muzaffarpur-Raxaul	one or two
Orissa •		Bhubaneswar-Berhampur .	one
	5	Bhubaneswar-Cuttack-Jharpokaria	one
	6	Jharpokaria-Sambalpur .	one
	42	Cuttack-Sambalpur . .	one
	43	Jagadalpur-Jeypore-Vijayanagram	one

State	N.H.No.	Route	Approx No. of points
West Bengal	2	Calcutta-Asansol	one
	6	Calcutta-Kharagpur	one
	34, 31A	Calcutta-Farakha-Dalkhola-Siliguri	one
	31	Siliguri-Malbazar-Dalgaon-Baxirhat	one
Assam	37, 51	Guwahati-Paikam-Dalu	one
	37	Guwahati-Jorhat-Dibrugarh	one or two
	31	Guwahati-North Salmara-Baxirhat	one
	52	Guwahati-Tezpur-North Lakhimpur	one or two
Meghalaya	37, 51	Guwahati-Paikam-Dalu	one
	40	Guwahati-Shillong-Dauki	one
	44	Shillong-Jowai-Badarpur	one
Tripura	44	Jowai-Badarpur-Agartala	one
Mizoram	54	Silcher-Aizawl-Theriat-Tuipang	one
Nagaland	39	Numaligarh-Kohima-Imphal	one or two
Manipur	39	Kohima-Imphal	one
Arunachal Pradesh	52A	Link to Itanagar	one
IV. West Zone			
Rajasthan	8	Jaipur-Udaipur-Ahmedabad	one
	12	Jaipur-Kota-Jhalawar	one
Madhya Pradesh	12	Bhopal-Jabalpur	one
	7	Varanasi-Jabalpur-Nagpur	one or two
	26	Near Sagar	one
	3	Agra-Gwalior-Dewas-Indore	two or three
	6	Nagapur-Raipur-Sambalpur	one
Gujarat	8	Ahmedabad-Bombay	one or two
	8A	Ahmedabad-Bamanbor & Kandla	one or two
	8B	Rajkot-Porbaunder	one
Maharashtra	8	Ahmedabad-Bombay	one
	3	Bombay-Nasik-Dhule	one
	4	Puno-Kolhapur-Belgaum	one or two
	6	Dhule-Nagpur	one or two
	7	Nagpur-Hyderabad	one
	17	Panvel-Panaji	two

Statement—III

Locations for which letters of invent have been issued by Ministry of Surface Transport of Private Entrepreneurs.

Sl. No.	State	Location
1.	Uttar Pradesh	NH-24, Km. 35 from Bareilly towards Sitapur.
2.	Uttar Pradesh	NH-24, Km. 131 from Delhi.
3.	Uttar Pradesh	NH-2, Km. 32 from Allahabad towards Varanasi.
4.	Uttar Pradesh	NH-24, At Km. 192·60 on Bareilly-Rampur Section.
5.	Uttar Pradesh	NH-56, Km. 86 East of Banaras and Km. 196 West of Lucknow
6.	Karnataka	NH-4, Km. 10 from Belgaum.
7.	Tamil Nadu	NH-7, Km. 5 from Basur on Bangalore-Krishanagiri Road
8.	West Bengal	NH-31, Km. 20 from Kuch-Behar.
9.	Assam	NH-31, between Km. 962-963 near river Aie.
10.	Rajasthan	NH-8, At Km. 358·8-359·05 on Jaipur-Ajmer Section.
11.	Rajasthan	NH-8, 800 metre away from Km. post 368 on Udaipur Ahemedabad Road.
12.	Rajasthan	NH-15, between Km. 141-143 on Sriganganagar-Bikaner Section
13.	Madhya Pradesh	NH-6, 226 Km. from Nagpur on Nagpur-Sambalpur Road.
14.	Maharashtra	NH-17, Near Km. 457 from Panvel on Panvel Panjam Section.
15.	Rajasthan	NH-8, Delhi-Jaipur Road stone Km. 293 and 294 near Village Bagru.
16.	Rajasthan	NH-12, Jaipur-Kote-Jhalawar (3 Km. from Niwasi towards Jaipur near Niwai on NH-12
17.	Jammu & Kashmir	NH-1, Km. 246/247 near Mogul Garden (39 Km. from Srinagar).
18.	Maharashtra	NH-4, Vill. Vikaswadi between Pune & Bangalore Road Maharashtra (12 Km. from Kolhapur towards Banglore)

Sl. No.	State	Lo cat ion
19.	Uttar Pradesh .	. NH-24, 100 Km. from Delhi at Delhi-Garh Raod, UP (near Gajraulai
20.	Rajasthan . .	.....NH-15, Dhani Husansar 16 Km. from Bikaner-Rajasthan.
		between Barrahi-Asansol Bihar 112 from Balhi 60 Km. from Asansol (Km. 395)
22	West Bengal	NH-2, 250 Km. West of Kota and more and 2 Km. East from Panagarh Bazar at Km. Stone 152-2 of Asansol Calcutta Section.
23	Rajasthan	NH-8, Between Km. 70-72 of Delhi-Jaipur Road.
24	Orissa	NH-5, Km. 23 from Bhubneshwar towards Cuttack.
25	Himachal Pradesh	NH-21, between Sundergarh and Bilaspur.
2	West Bengal	NH-34, between Calcutta and Silliguri at Bagodia.
27	Kerala	NH-47, Karuna Gapally Viliore-Tri-Cochin.
28	Punjab	NH-1 About 50 Kms. from Khanna towards Ambala.
29	Andhra Pradesh	NV-9, Ayderabad-Vijayawada at Vill. Madhurarath (148- 5 Km. from Hyderabad).
30	Rajasthan	NH-12. Near Vill, Ambapura, Tech. Deeli, Distt,. Tonk (Near Km. 158).
31	West Bengal	NH-2, 250 Km. west of Kota and more and 2 Km. East from Panagarh Bazar at Km-stone 152.2 of Asanscl Calcutta Section

Wayside amenities Centres by Private Parties

3224. SHRI ASHOK NATH VERMA: Will the Minister of SURFACE TRANSPORT be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government propose to encourage private parties for setting up of passenger-oriented wayside amenities centres at National Highways to facilitate foreign and domestic tourists, passengers, night travellers and likewise;

(b) if so, what are the detafts of facilities, assistance Government propose to offer for establishment of such centres;

(c) whether Government have surveyed and earmarked sites for establishment of such centres on various National Hoghways;

(d) if so, what are the details thereof, area acquired or leased, National Highways-wise;